

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of) Group Art Unit 1723
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.136(a)

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Applicants' attorney hereby requests an extension of time, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a), to allow the filing of the Applicants' enclosed Request for Continued Examination and Amendment B within the fourth month.

A check in the amount of \$455.00 is submitted herewith to cover the fee as set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(a).

In the event that the enclosed fee is not sufficient, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-0987.

Respectfully submitted,

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